

2016 Annual Report Data Webinar

Home Performance with ENERGY STAR Program





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Agenda

- Making a Difference
- Summary of Data Limitations
- 2016 Program Summary
- 2016 Data & Sponsor Highlights
 - Budgeting
 - Marketing
 - Workforce Deployment
 - Incentives
 - Measures
 - QA
- Q&A







We are making a difference!







Importance of the ENERGY STAR Brand



of households recognized the ENERGY STAR label when shown the label.

Source: The Consortium for Energy Efficiency's report National Awareness of ENERGY STAR for 2016





Expanding Applicability of HPwES



Whole-House Multiple Measure Programs



Incremental Programs-HVAC



Multi-Family Programs



Affordable/Low Income Programs



Renewable Programs



Health and Home Performance Programs

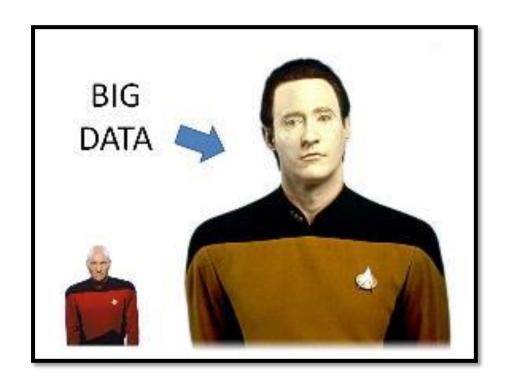


Home Energy Score





2016 Annual ReportData Overview







Data Limitations

- Data is as reported by our Sponsors.
- Not all questions are answered by all Sponsors.
- Apples-to-apples comparisons are complicated by differing reporting regimes and categorizations (see below).
- Program administrative costs represent a heterogeneous cross-section of sub-categories which may
 vary broadly from one sponsor to another; admin cost sub-categories may include any or all of the
 following: program administrator staff time and direct costs, implementation vendor staff time and direct
 cost, marketing, quality assurance, EM&V, or other miscellaneous program support costs.
- Energy savings data is calculated using predictive methods defined by each individual sponsoring
 program or state. Methods may include whole building energy simulations, modeled savings for
 individual measures or measure packages, deemed energy savings, or a combination. Underlying
 assumptions including baselines, effective useful life, and other key factors may vary significantly from
 one sponsor to another.
- Energy savings data is captured and reported only for the fuel types monitored by each sponsor. As a result, not all fuel savings attributable to Home Performance with ENERGY STAR will be represented in this data set.
- All per-project averages are weighted by Sponsor project count unless otherwise indicated.





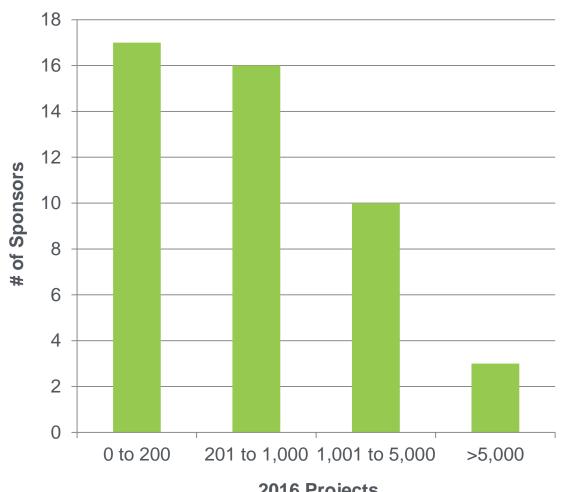
2016 Program Summary

81,117	HPwES completed projects – equivalent to retrofitting Salt Lake City, UT		
32	States represented by Sponsors		
46	Sponsors		
13	Millions of dollars reported spending on midstream incentives (N=25)		
155	Millions of dollars reported spending on homeowner incentives (N=35)		
1.8	Millions of MMBtu in reported savings (N=35) – enough energy to power 34,000 cars for a year		





Projects Completed



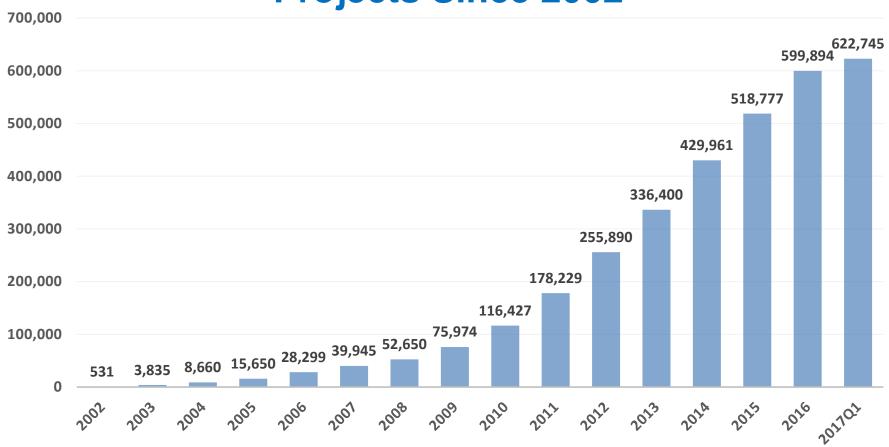
- 46 Sponsors completed a total of 81,117 projects* during 2016.
- Over 600,000 projects completed since program inception - equivalent to retrofitting all of the homes in Philadelphia.
- *A completed project is counted for each independent contract executed between a homeowner and a qualified participating contractor which meets all program requirements.







Projects Since 2002

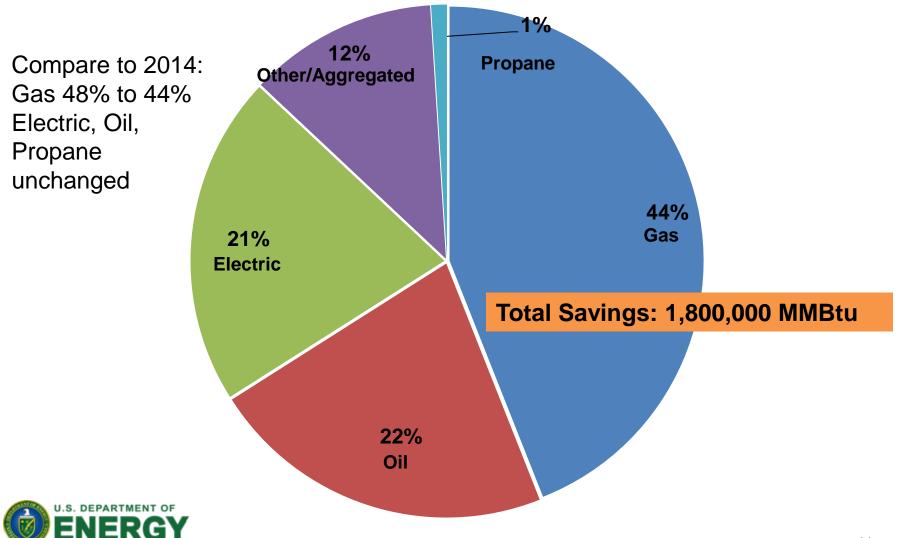


Over 600,000 Projects!





Total First-Year Gross Site Energy Savings as Reported by Sponsors (N=35)





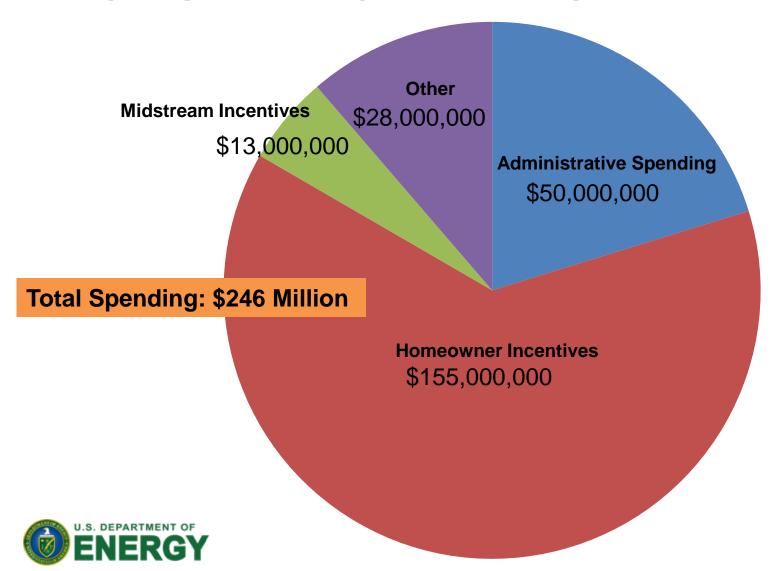
Program Spending





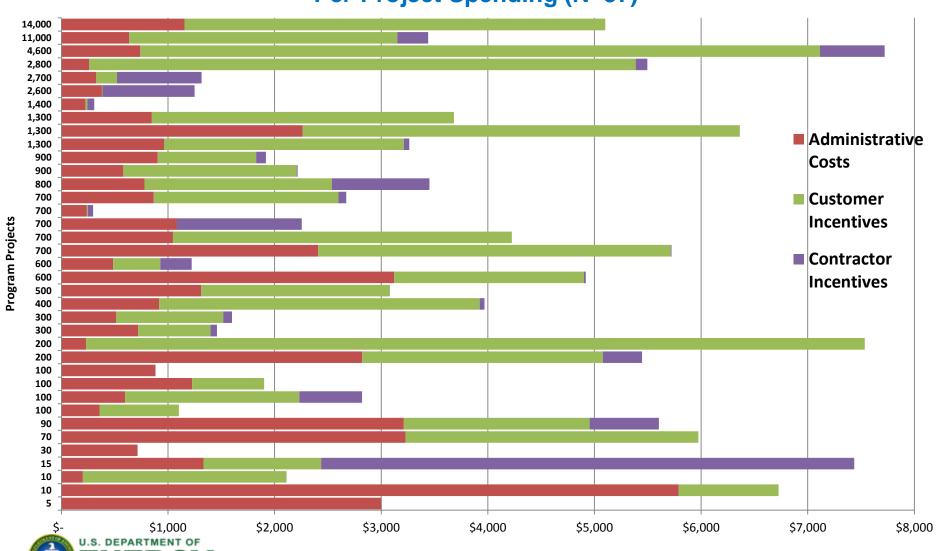


Budgeting: Total Program Spending, All Sponsors (N=40)



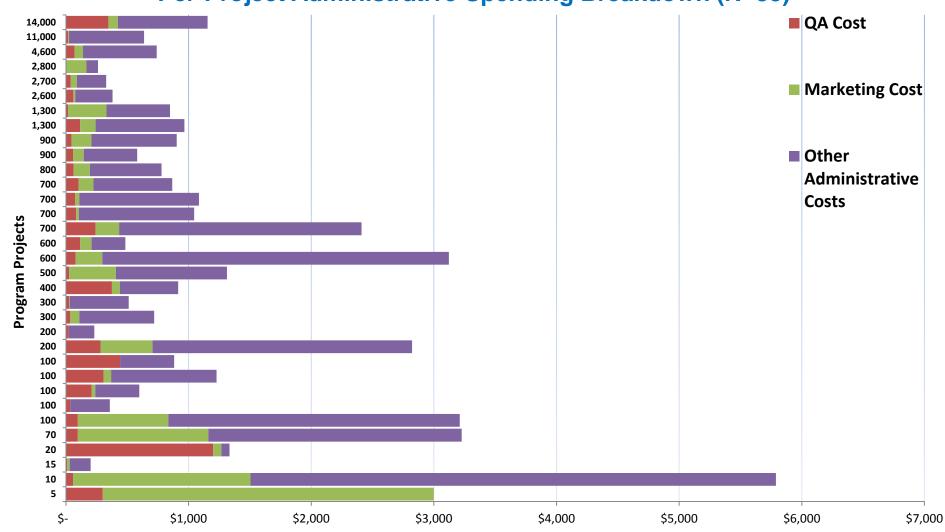








Per-Project Administrative Spending Breakdown (N=33)





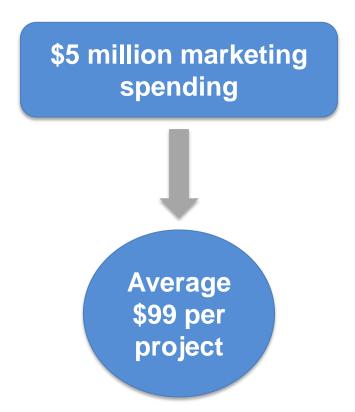
Marketing







Marketing Spending (N=36)



The Air Conditioning Contractor's Association of America estimates the average industry cost per lead to be between \$250 - \$300.





Marketing: Emerging Opportunities

Multifamily (4% of Projects)



9 Sponsors

3,204 projects

Income-Targeted (16% of Projects)



10 Sponsors

13,061 units





Workforce







Most Active Trades in HPwES (N=43)

The percentage of Sponsors indicating each trade as their most active workforce:







Insulation

HVAC

74%

16%

10%

- 1,600 active contractors.
- 138 Century Club Winners completed 44% of 2016 projects.





Diversity of Trades in HPwES (N=43)



88% of Sponsors relied on at least 3 different types of trade contractors.



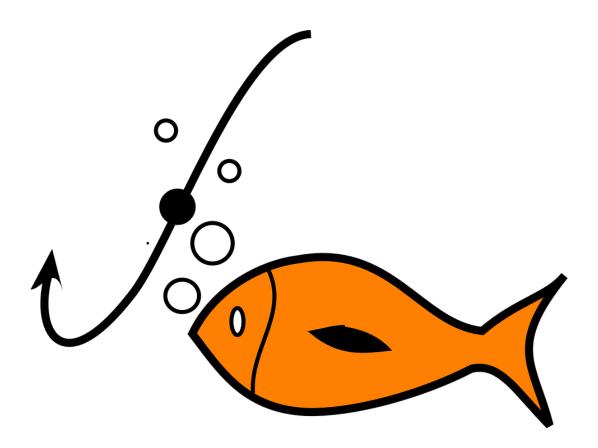
70% worked with 4 or more types

In addition to Home Performance, HVAC, and Insulation Contractors; Sponsors worked with Plumbing, Remodeling, Handymen, Window, and Solar Contractors.





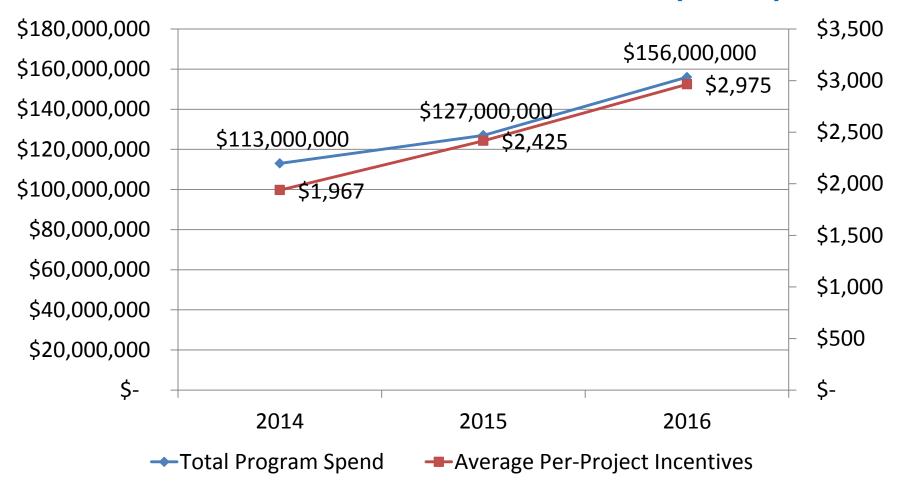
Customer Incentives







Consumer Incentives Overview (N=35)







Per-Project Spending on Consumer Incentives, by % of Sponsors

	2014 (N=36)	2015 (N=35)	2016 (N=35)
Less than \$1,000	42%	36%	31%
\$1,000 to \$1,999	22%	19%	29%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	22%	22%	17%
\$3,000 to \$3,999	6%	3%	11%
\$4,000 or more	8%	17%	11%

The average homeowner incentive per project is \$2,975.

The range is between \$5 and \$7,300.





Customer Incentives Offered

40 Sponsors reported offering consumer incentives. Of these, the percentage offering each measure was:



73% - Measure-based rebates



35% - Project-based Rebates



53% - Discounted Energy Assessments



32% - Free Energy Assessments



38% - Low-interest Financing



23% - On-bill Financing





Settling Up



\$2,395

Average Customer Out-of-Pocket*



\$5,370

Average Invoice

\$2,975

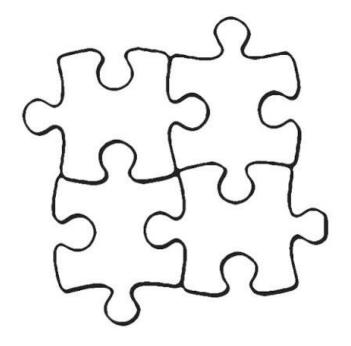
Average Customer Incentive*



Average Invoice N=38
Average Customer Incentive N=35
* Out-of-Pocket and Customer
Incentive are Calculated



Measure Mixes

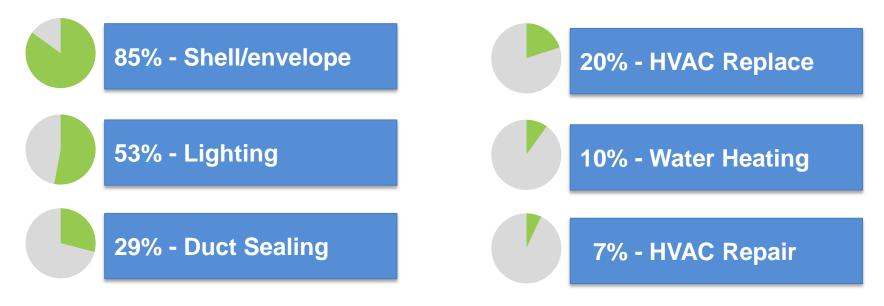






Project Measures

Percentage of Projects Completed with Each Measure (N=41)





3% - Appliances

Compared with 2014:

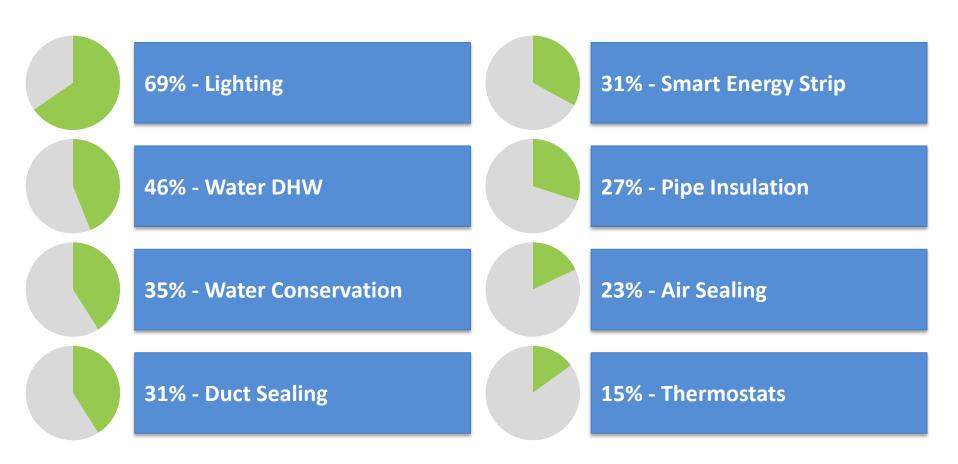
- Water Heating down from 41% to 10%
- Lighting up from 46 to 53%
- Appliances up from 1 to 3%





Project Measures: Direct Install

Percentage of Sponsors offering direct install measures by type (N=26)







Quality Assurance







Following Through: Quality Assurance

\$406

\$144

Average cost of one field inspection (N=37)

Average QA cost per project (N=35)

Who Does QA? Sponsors say (N=43):

53% In-house 19% Hybrid 14% Contractor hired by program 14% Independent 3rd party





QA Inspection Points (N=44)

At how many points in the project timeline do Sponsors conduct QA? Options include: during the assessment, installation, test-out and post-installation.

25% at 1 point (31% of projects)

This graph indicates the number of stages that are reviewed during an on-site inspection. On-site inspections are not file reviews, though file reviews should be used to inform the on-site inspection process and be a part of the quality

assurance plan.

30% at 2 points (16% of projects)

7% at 3 points (1% of projects)





Strategies to Grow



Increase and Enhance Partnerships



Expand Outreach and Marketing



Improve Operational Excellence



Integrate R&D to Enhance the Value Proposition



Enhance Stability and Certainty in the Market





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